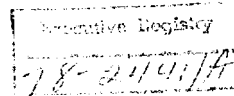


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Honorable Birch Bayh, Chairman
Select Committee on Intelligence
United States Senate
Washington, D.C. 20510

Dear Mr. Chairman:

Thank you for your letter of 21 August 1978 approving the FY 1978 reprogramming of funds to procure a new large-scale computer for the National Security Agency.

The points you raise regarding our processing of this request are well noted. Please be assured that your concerns will be taken into account in future transactions of this sort.

Yours sincerely,

/s/ Stansfield Turner

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